HOUSE BILL 1979 By Buck

AN ACT to designate a certain bridge on U.S. Highway 64 in Cannon County as the "Paul L. Brandon Memorial Bridge".

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

WHEREAS, from time to time, the members of this General Assembly have seen fit to name certain highways and bridges to honor those exemplary citizens who contributed significantly to the overall growth and prosperity of their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, Paul L. Brandon was a man of high morals and exemplary character and an instrumental force in the business, civic and social life of the Burt community of Cannon County; and

WHEREAS, a gentleman of great integrity, probity and industry, Mr. Brandon served the good people of Cannon County with dedication and acumen as Justice of the Peace and as a bookkeeper for the county highway department; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brandon was a dedicated servant of the Burt community, and he worked assiduously to ensure a bright future for his fellow citizens and their progeny; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brandon was truly an inspirational leader among his peers, as he distinguished himself by means of his meritorious public service and unflagging commitment to others; and

WHEREAS, the Cannon County Commission, in conjunction with several other prominent citizens of the Burt community, has expressed a desire to name a certain bridge to honor Paul L. Brandon's bountiful life of purpose; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly always endeavor to comply with the wishes of county governments on matters of local concern whenever it is feasible to do so; now, therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of the law to the contrary, the bridge presently known as the "Carson Fork Bridge" on U.S. Highway 64 in Cannon County is hereby redesignated as the "Paul L. Brandon Memorial Bridge" to honor the memory of this exemplary gentleman who most assuredly was a worthy representative of the true spirit of Tennessee.

SECTION 2. The Department of Transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating such bridge as the "Paul L. Brandon Memorial Bridge".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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